

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

INVENTOR(S): Theodore Rappaport      GROUP ART UNIT: 2128  
APPLN. NO.: 10/697,557      EXAMINER: Akash SAXENA  
FILED: October 31, 2003      Confirmation No.: 8407  
TITLE: METHOD AND SYSTEM, WITH COMPONENT KITS, FOR DESIGNING  
OR DEPLOYING A COMMUNICATIONS NETWORK WHICH  
CONSIDERS FREQUENCY DEPENDENT EFFECTS

**RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT  
FILED UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

Mail Stop Amendment  
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Commissioner:

We hereby respond to the Office Action mailed on February 12, 2009 (for which the period for response has been extended by one month to June 12, 2009) under 35 U.S.C. § 1.111. Please consider the following amendments to the claims and the remarks that follow.

Amendments to the Claims begin on the following page (page 2).

Remarks begin on page 8.